# THE PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILROAD BRIDGE REHABILITATION AND BEAUTIFICATION - CONSTRUCTION STATE BRIDGE #53C-1564, LA COUNTY BRIDGE #2482

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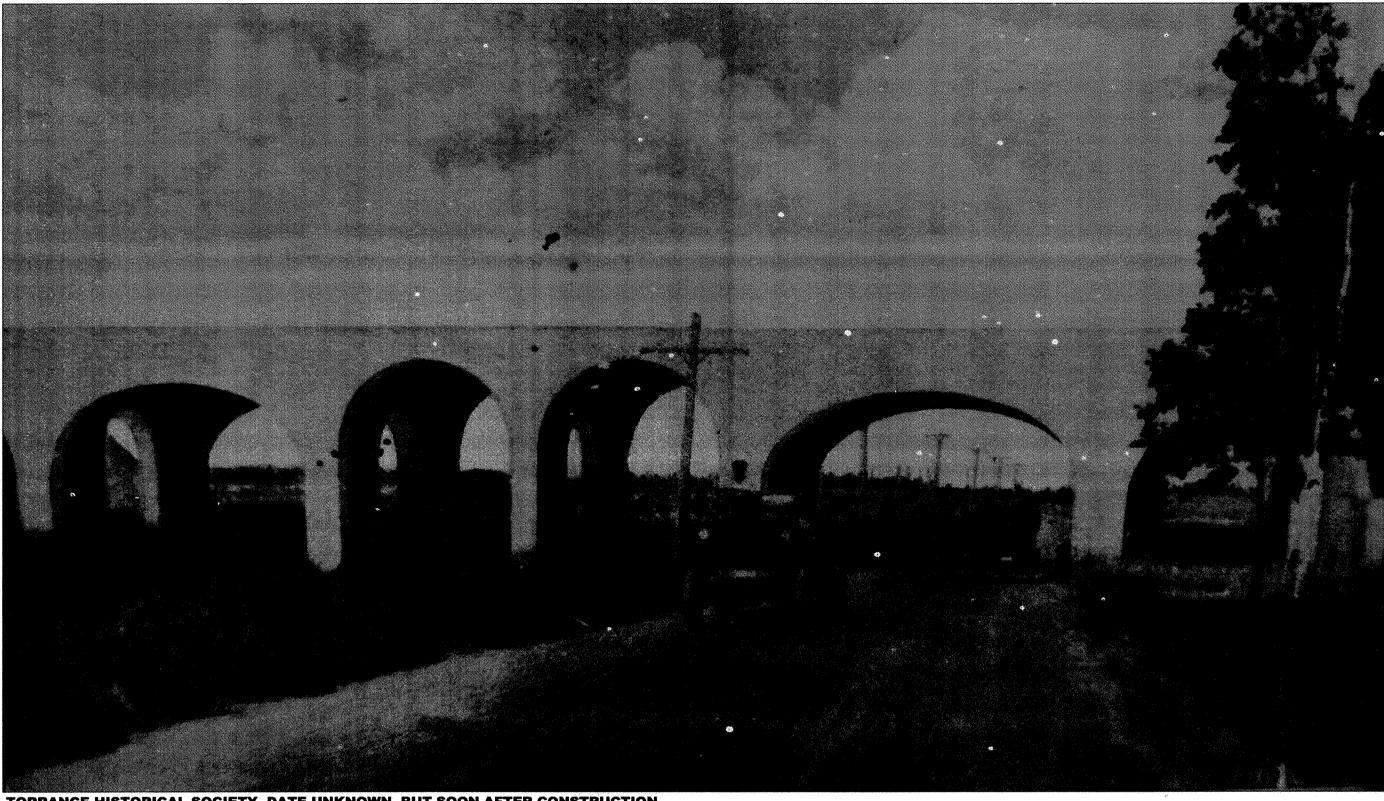
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## **HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE**

LOCATED IN TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA AND DESIGNED BY IRVING GILL, THE PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILROAD

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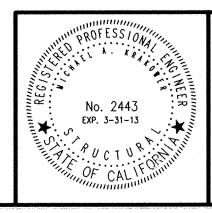
#### **SCOPE OF WORK**

PHASE ONE MAINTENANCE INCLUDING SPALL REPAIR, CRACK INJECTION, GUARDRAIL REPLACEMENT, VEGETATION REMOVAL SURFACE CLEANING, GRAFFITI MITIGATION AND LIGHTING.

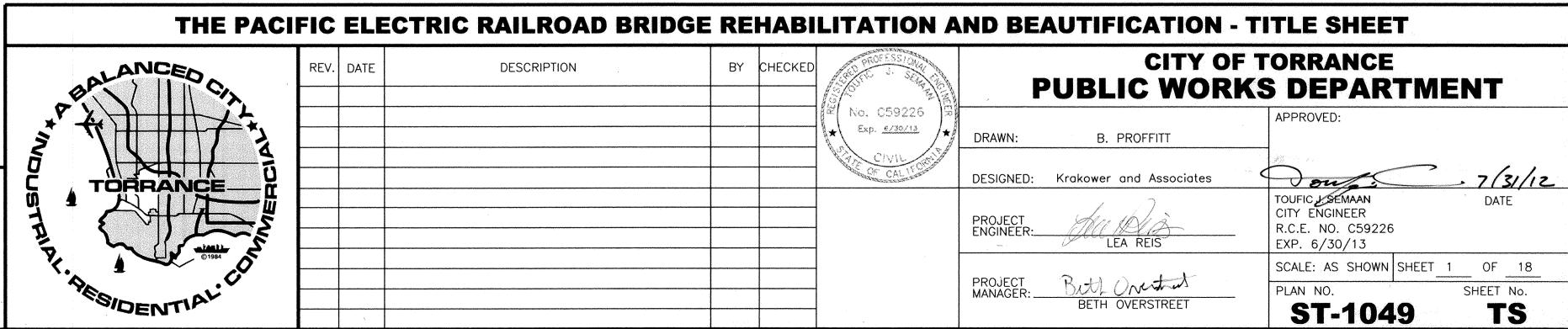
#### **CODES AND STANDARDS**

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION CALIFORNIA HISTORICAL BUILDING CODE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR'S STANDARDS FOR THE TREATMENT OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES: REHABILITATION TREATMENT APPROACH NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE CAL TRANS STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS

BRIDGE WAS CONSTRUCTED IN 1913. IT IS AN EARLY EXAMPLE OF MULTI-SPAN REINFORCED CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION AND FEATURES DISTINCTIVE HOLLOW ARCHED REINFORCED CONCRETE FACADES COVERING THE CONVENTIONAL STRUCTURAL SYSTEM. THE BRIDGE WAS LISTED ON THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES IN 1989 UNDER CRITERION C AND IS SIGNIFICANT IN THREE AREAS: COMMUNITY PLANNING, ARCHITECTURE AND ENGINEERING. IN THE AREA OF COMMUNITY PLANNING IT IS A RARE EXTANT ELEMENT OF THE ORIGINAL TORRANCE GENERAL PLAN. THE BRIDGE DESIGN EXEMPLIFIES THE DISTINCTIVE UNDERSTATED STYLE OF IRVING GILL, AN INFLUENTIAL PIONEER IN THE MODERN MOVEMENT OF ARCHITECTURE. IN THE AREA OF ENGINEERING, THE USE OF THE DECORATIVE ARCHES TO DISGUISE AN OTHERWISE CONVENTIONAL STRUCTURAL SYSTEM REPRESENTS A UNIQUE CONSTRUCTION APPROACH. PERIOD OF SIGNIFICANCE FOR THE BRIDGE IS 1913.







GENERAL NOTES

THE PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILROAD BRIDGE REHABILITATION AND BEAUTIFICATION

CONCRETE SPALL PATCHING AND REPAIR

1. LAYOUTS OF OBSERVED SPALLS SHOWN ON THE DRAWINGS ARE APPROXIMATE ONLY FOR BIDDING PURPOSES. CONTRACTOR SHALL ESTABLISH A TOTAL COST FOR 85 SQUARE FEET OF TOTAL REPAIR AND A UNIT COST PER SQUARE FOOT TO ALLOW FOR DISCOVERED CONDITIONS.

2. REMOVE ALL LOOSE CONCRETE BACK TO SOUND SUBSTRATE. CUT THE EDGES OF THE REPAIR AREA TO A MINIMUM DEPTH OF ONE INCH. CUTS SHOULD BE MADE EITHER BE PARALLEL OR PERPENDICULAR TO THE ORIENTATION OF THE ORIGINAL FORM BOARDS MARKS ONLY. CUTS PARALLEL TO THE ORIGINAL FORM BOARDS SHALL BE ALIGNED WITH EXISTING JOINTS BETWEEN THE BOARD FORMS. OVER-CUTS BEYOND THE LIMITS OF THE REPAIR PERIMETER ARE NOT ALLOWED. FEATHERED EDGES AT THE REPAIR PERIMETER ARE NOT ALLOWED.

3. EXPOSED REINFORCING STEEL WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE PATCH AREA SHALL BE TREATED AS FOLLOWS. CHIP OUT CONCRETE ALL AROUND THE EXPOSED REINFORCING TO ONE BAR DIAMETER MINIMUM CLEARANCE REMOVE LOOSE DEBRIS AND SCALE BY WIRE BRUSHING AND APPLY ANTI-CORROSION TREATMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS. SEVERELY DETERIORATED REINFORCING STEEL SHALL BE REMOVED AND REPLACED IN KIND BACK TO SOUND REINFORCING. LAP EXISTING REINFORCING 30 BAR DIAMETERS OR PROVIDE MECHANICAL COUPLERS.

4. FOR REPAIR AREAS EXCEEDING 2 SQUARE FEET, INSTALL 1/4 INCH DIAMETER STAINLESS STEEL SCREW ANCHORS AT 12 INCHES ON CENTER EACH WAY INTO THE PREPARED AREA TO BOND THE PATCHING MORTAR. EMBED THE ANCHORS 1.5 INCHES INTO THE SOUND CONCRETE AND PROVIDE 1.5 INCHES OF CONCRETE COVER OVER THE HEAD OF THE SCREW, AT SOFFIT AND OVERHEAD AREAS, ADD STAINLESS STEEL WIRE MESH BETWEEN THE SCREW ANCHORS.

5. CLEAN ALL DUST AND DEBRIS FROM THE PREPARED SURFACES AND PRE-SATURATE THE SUBSTRATE TO SURFACE DRY TO REDUCE ABSORPTION OF MOISTURE FROM THE SUBSEQUENT REPAIR MORTAR. RE-WET THE SURFACE JUST PRIOR TO APPLYING THE REPAIR MORTAR.

6. APPLY THE REPAIR MORTAR IN LIFTS NOT TO EXCEED 2 INCHES IN THICKNESS. WORK THE MORTAR FIRMLY INTO THE REPAIR SURFACES INCLUDING THE CORNERS AND UNDER AND AROUND REINFORCING STEEL. BUILD UP THE REPAIR MORTAR TO SLIGHTLY ABOVE THE ADJACENT CONCRETE SURFACES PRIOR TO FINISHING. MATCH THE ADJACENT BOARD FORM APPEARANCE OF THE EXISTING ADJACENT CONSTRUCTION.

7. CURE THE FINISHED REPAIRS WITH MISTING SEVERAL TIMES A DAY FOR THREE CONSECUTIVE DAYS MINIMUM. 8. PREPARE A TEST PANEL UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE DESIGN TEAM AND CITY OF TORRANCE TO DEMONSTRATE THE REPAIR TECHNIQUES PRIOR TO THE CONSTRUCTION. THE TEST PANEL AREA MAY BE USED AS PART OF THE FINISHED CONSTRUCTION.

#### SCAFFOLDING (IF USED)

1. CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT COMPLETE SCAFFOLDING LAYOUT, INSTALLATION, BRACING AND DISMANTLING DRAWINGS INCLUDING ENGINEERING COMPUTATIONS FOR FIXED AND MOBILE SCAFFOLDING PLACEMENT TO SAFELY EXECUTE ALL THE WORK PRIOR TO THE START OF CONSTRUCTION, DRAWINGS AND COMPUTATIONS SHALL BE SIGNED BY A LICENSED CIVIL OR STRUCTURAL ENGINEER CURRENTLY REGISTERED IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA. OBTAIN ALL NECESSARY PERMITS AND CLEARANCES FROM THE REVIEWING AUTHORITIES HAVING JURISDICTION FOR THE BRIDGE. CONTRACTOR SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM OF 5 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE WITH DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION AND DISMANTLING OF SCAFFOLDING FOR DESIGNATED HISTORIC BRIDGES.

2. SCAFFOLDS SHALL BE ERECTED, MAINTAINED, MOVED, DISMANTLED AND/OR ALTERED BY EXPERIENCED PERSONNEL ONLY UNDER THE SUPERVISION AND DIRECTION OF A COMPETENT PERSON DEFINED IN OSHA SECTION 1926.451. PRIOR TO THE START OF ERECTION, A SITE INSPECTION SHALL BE MADE TO CHECK FOR

3. CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE MEANS AND METHODS TO SAFELY AND LAWFULLY COLLECT AND DISPOSE OF ALL MATERIALS USED TO PREPARE, TREAT, REPAIR, CLEAN AND FINISH ALL SURFACES. DO NOT ALLOW DEBRIS AND RUBBLE TO ACCUMULATE ON PLANKING OR AROUND SCAFFOLDING AND SHALL BE REMOVED AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE. PROVIDE ENCLOSED SCAFFOLDING AND TOE-BOARDS WHERE REQUIRED, PROTECTING ADJACENT RIGHTS OF WAY.

4. ALL TEMPORARY ATTACHMENTS TO BRIDGE SURFACES SHALL BE REMOVED, REPAIRED AND FINISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS FOR CRACK AND SPALL REPAIR.

5. CONTRACTOR SHALL MAINTAIN MINIMUM CLEARANCES ABOVE AND AROUND ROADS, SIDEWALKS AND RAILROAD RIGHTS OF WAY AS SPECIFIED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS AND BY THE REVIEWING AUTHORITIES HAVING JURISDICTION FOR THE BRIDGE.

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CAST IN PLACE CONCRETE

1. CONCRETE SHALL OBTAIN A MINIMUM ULTIMATE COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH OF 2500 PSI AT 28 DAYS AND BE PROPORTIONED AS FOLLOWS.

2. MAXIMUM SIZE AGGREGATE SHALL BE 3/8 INCH. 3. MINIMUM OF 7 SACKS OF CEMENT PER CUBIC YARD.

4. MAXIMUM OF 70 % SAND AND MINIMUM OF 30 % COARSE AGGREGATE.

5. MAXIMUM OF 7 GALLONS WATER PER CEMENT SACK. 6. UP TO 15% FLY-ASH MAY BE ADDED FOR PUMPING. 7. MAXIMUM SLUMP IS 5 INCHES.

8. REINFORCING SHALL HAVE THE FOLLOWING MINIMUM PROTECTIVE COVER OF CONCRETE: 3 INCHES CONCRETE POURED AGAINST EARTH

2 INCHES FORMED CONCRETE SURFACES IN CONTACT WITH EARTH 1.5 INCHES FORMED CONCRETE SURFACES EXPOSED TO WEATHER FORMED CONCRETE SURFACES IN INTERIOR SPACES 0.75 INCHES

9. AGGREGATE SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM C-33. 10. CEMENT SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM C 150 TYPE II.

11. SUBMIT PROPOSED MIX DESIGNS FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL PRIOR TO START OF CONSTRUCTION.

12. COORDINATE ALL UTILITIES AND OTHER EMBEDS PRIOR TO CASTING CONCRETE.

#### STRUCTURAL STEEL

1. ALL ROLLED SHAPES. PLATES AND STEEL ALL THREAD SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM A36 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED ON THE PLANS

2. WELDING SHALL BE PERFORMED BY CERTIFIED WELDERS WITH E 70XX ELECTRODES. ALL WELDING SHALL BE CONTINUOUSLY INSPECTED EXCEPT WHEN PERFORMED IN THE SHOP OF A LICENSED FABRICATOR.

3. ALL STRUCTURAL STEEL SHALL HAVE A PRIMER AND FINISHED COAT EXCEPT WHEN CONCEALED IN CONCRETE

#### ROUGH CARPENTRY

1. ALL LUMBER SHALL BE DOUGLAS FIR, GRADED AND GRADE STAMPED IN ACCORDANCE WITH STANDARD GRADING RULES 17 OF THE WEST COAST LUMBER INSPECTION BUREAU.

2. ALL LUMBER SHALL BE DOUGLAS FIR # 1.

3. ANY WOOD MEMBER IN CONTACT WITH CONCRETE SHALL BE PRESSURE TREATED

4. NAILING SHALL CONFORM TO TABLE 2304.9 OF THE CALIFORNIA BUILDING CODE.

5. PRE-DRILL HOLES (3/4 TIMES THE NAIL DIAMETER) FOR NAILING WHERE DRIVING SPLITS ANY FRAMING. AIR DRIVEN NAILS SHALL BE FULL HEADED. DO NOT OVER-DRIVE NAILS

6. PRE-DRILL HOLES FOR LAG SCREWS AND WOOD SCREWS (7/8 TIMES THE DIAMETER OF THE FASTENER). FASTENERS MAY BE LUBRICATED WITH SOAP OR WAX TO FACILITATE INSTALLATION. DO NOT DRIVE ANY SCREWS OR LAGS.

7. PRE-MANUFACTURED FRAMING CONNECTORS SHALL HAVE THE DESIGNATED FASTENERS INSTALLED WITH THE CONNECTOR.

#### CRACK REPAIR BY GROUT INJECTION

1. CRACK REPAIR SHALL BE PERFORMED ONLY BY QUALIFIED APPLICATORS AND FIELD PERSONNEL WITH A MINIMUM OF 5 YEARS' EXPERIENCE WITH THE BLIND INJECTION TECHNIQUE FOR DESIGNATED HISTORIC CONCRETE STRUCTURES. THE FIELD PERSONNEL SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM OF 5 YEARS EMPLOYMENT WITH THE APPLICATOR.

2. ACCESS TO BOTH SIDES OF CRACKS. IN GENERAL, IS NOT POSSIBLE. PER THE RECORD DRAWINGS, ALL THE ARCHES ARE HOLLOW REINFORCED CONCRETE SECTIONS APPROXIMATELY 4 TO 6 INCHES THICK. LAYOUTS OF OBSERVED CRACKS SHOWN ON THE DRAWINGS ARE APPROXIMATE ONLY FOR BIDDING PURPOSES. CONTRACTOR SHALL ESTABLISH A TOTAL COST FOR 1,100 LINEAR FEET OF CRACK INJECTION AND A UNIT COST PER LINEAR FOOT TO ALLOW FOR REPAIR OF DISCOVERED CONDITIONS.

3. THE APPLICATOR SHALL SUBMIT A WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THEIR EXPERIENCE, PROPOSED SURFACE PREPARATION, GROUT MATERIALS, INJECTION PROCEDURES, FINISHING OF THE SURFACE OF THE CRACK REPAIR TO MATCH ADJACENT SURFACES AND CLEAN-UP FOR REVIEW BY THE DESIGN CONSULTANTS AND CITY OF TORRANCE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR TO THE START OF CONSTRUCTION. THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION SHALL INCLUDE. BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO, EXPOSING AND CLEANING OF CRACKS; SPACING AND SEALING OF SURFACE MOUNTED INJECTION PORTS; INJECTION EQUIPMENT; INJECTION MATERIAL; STAGGERED INJECTION SFOURNCES IN SMALLER INCREMENTS FOR PROPER CURE AND BONDING TO MINIMIZE LOSS OF INJECTED MATERIALS INTO HOLLOW CONCRETE ARCHES: AND REMOVAL OF THE SEALANT WITH FINAL CLEAN-UP.

4. A PRE-QUALIFICATION TESTING PROGRAM SHALL BE DEVELOPED AND PERFORMED ON A SMALL SECTION OF THE BRIDGE TO VERIFY THE CRACK REPAIR PROCEDURES AND APPEARANCE, TESTING SITES SHALL BE SELECTED BY THE DESIGN CONSULTANTS AND CITY OF TORRANCE TO MINIMIZE VISUAL IMPACTS TO THE CHARACTER DEFINING FEATURES. PREPARE AND INJECT A 2 FOOT LONG SECTION OF CRACK AND ALLOW CURING AND BONDING. EXTRACT A 2 INCH DIAMETER CORE AND TEST TO FAILURE IN COMPRESSION. IF NO FAILURE OF THE GROUT BOND IS OBSERVED, THE TEST SHALL BE JUDGED SATISFACTORY. IN THE EVENT THE TEST RESULTS ARE NOT SATISFACTORY, CONTRACTOR AT HIS OWN EXPENSE SHALL DEVELOP ALTERNATE PROCEDURES, SUBSTANTIATED BY TESTING, TO ACHIEVE COMPLIANCE, TESTING SITES MAY BE INCLUDED IN THE FINAL WORK. REPAIR ALL CORES PER REQUIREMENTS FOR SPALL REPAIR. DO NOT PROCEED WITH THE CRACK REPAIR UNTIL THE PRE-QUALIFICATION TESTING IS COMPLETED AND APPROVED.

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#### SCOPE OF WORK

1. LISTED ON THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES, THE PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILROAD BRIDGE (STATE BRIDGE # 53C-1564, LA COUNTY BRIDGE # 2482) IS CONSTRUCTED WITH REINFORCED CONCRETE. SOME OF THE DEFERRED MAINTENANCE IS SUMMARIZED IN A LOS ANGELES COUNTY BRIDGE INSPECTION REPORT DATED 8/30/11. THE SCOPE OF WORK FOR THIS PHASE OF THE PROJECT INCLUDES. BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO. DOCUMENTATION OF THE AS FOUND CONDITIONS; IN-KIND REPLACEMENT OF THE DETERIORATED WOODEN GUARDRAIL: BLIND GROUT INJECTION OF CRACKS, PATCHING AND REPAIR OF SURFACE DETERIORATION: REMOVAL OF ALL VEGETATION GROWING ON BRIDGE SURFACE AND NEW LIGHTING.

2. LIMITS OF THE REHABILITATION SHOWN IS APPROXIMATE BASED UPON NON-DESTRUCTIVE OBSERVATION OF ACCESSIBLE SURFACES. PERCEIVED DISCOVERED CONDITIONS THAT PREVENT CONFORMANCE TO THE DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS SHALL BE REPORTED TO THE ENGINEER AND APPROVED BY THE CITY OF TORRANCE PRIOR TO THE AUTHORIZATION OF ADDITIONAL WORK.

3. THESE GENERAL NOTES ARE EXCERPTED, IN PART, FROM THE LATEST EDITION OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION AND THE PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS FOR GENERAL INFORMATION ONLY. IN CASE OF A CONFLICT BETWEEN THE DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS, THE MORE RESTRICTIVE REQUIREMENT SHALL GOVERN UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

4. REHABILITATION ACKNOWLEDGES THE NEED TO ALTER OR ADD TO A HISTORIC PROPERTY TO MEET CONTINUING OR CHANGING USES WHILE RETAINING THE PROPERTY'S HISTORIC CHARACTER. RETAIN EXISTING HISTORIC MATERIALS TO THE GREATEST EXTENT FEASIBLE; REPAIR RATHER THAN REPLACE, UNLESS INSTRUCTED OTHERWISE.

#### STAGING AND PROTECTION OF THE REHABILITATION

1. CONTRACTOR SHALL BE FULLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE STAGING AND PROTECTION OF THE REHABILITATION INCLUDING ADJACENT PUBLIC PROPERTY, PRIVATE PROPERTY, RAILROAD EASEMENT, EXISTING UTILITIES AND OTHER RIGHTS OF WAY. OBTAIN ALL NECESSARY PERMITS TO PERFORM THE WORK.

2. THE CONTRACTOR'S OPERATIONS SHALL COMPLY WITH ALL APPLICABLE STATE, COUNTY AND CITY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE WORK. PROVIDE BARRIERS, GUARDS, LIGHTS, SIGNS, TEMPORARY BRIDGES, FLAG PERSONS AND WATCH PERSONS AND SIMILAR SAFETY PRECAUTIONS TO ADVISE THE PUBLIC OF DETOURS AND CONSTRUCTION HAZARDS. UNLESS OTHERWISE AUTHORIZED. TRAFFIC AND PEDESTRIANS SHALL BE PERMITTED TO PASS THROUGH THE WORK. AT LEAST 10 DAYS IN ADVANCE OF CLOSING, PARTIALLY CLOSING OR REOPENING OF PUBLIC THOROUGHFARES, NOTIFY CITY OF TORRANCE AND/OR OTHER JURISDICTIONS AND OBTAIN REQUIRED PERMITS.

3. STORAGE OF EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS SHALL BE CAREFULLY COORDINATED WITH THE CITY OF TORRANCE AND SHALL NOT OBSTRUCT PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY, EASEMENTS OR PRIVATE PROPERTY UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED

#### FOUNDATIONS

1. REVIEW OF RECORD DRAWINGS PREPARED IN 1914 SHOW CONTINUOUS AND ISOLATED REINFORCED CONCRETE FOOTINGS UNDER BRIDGE COLUMNS AND ABUTMENTS. THE CONCRETE RETAINING WALL ON LINE 1 BETWEEN LINES D AND E HAS EVIDENCE OF PAST DIFFERENTIAL SETTLEMENT IN THE CRACK PATTERN OF DETAIL 1/S3.3. NO OTHER EVIDENCE OF SUB-GRADE SETTLEMENT WAS NOTED IN THE SURVEY. A GEOTECHNICAL INVESTIGATION OF THE SITE SUB-GRADE AND REGIONAL GEOLOGY IS NOT PART OF THIS PHASE.

#### FORMWORK

1. ERECT FORMWORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH ACI 301 WITH TOLERANCES REQUIRED BY ACI 117.

2. PROTECT EXISTING ADJACENT SURFACES FROM CONCRETE SPILLAGE AND OTHER DEBRIS DURING CONCRETE PLACEMENT.

## REINFORCING STEEL

1. REINFORCING STEEL SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM A-615, GRADE 60.

2. STEEL ALL-THREAD SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM A-36 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED ON THE DRAWINGS. 3. FABRICATE REINFORCING STEEL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CURRENT CRSI MANUAL OF STANDARD PRACTICE. AND ACL 318.

4. ACCURATELY POSITION REINFORCING STEEL AND PREVENT IT FROM DISPLACING DURING CONCRETE PLACEMENT OPERATIONS.

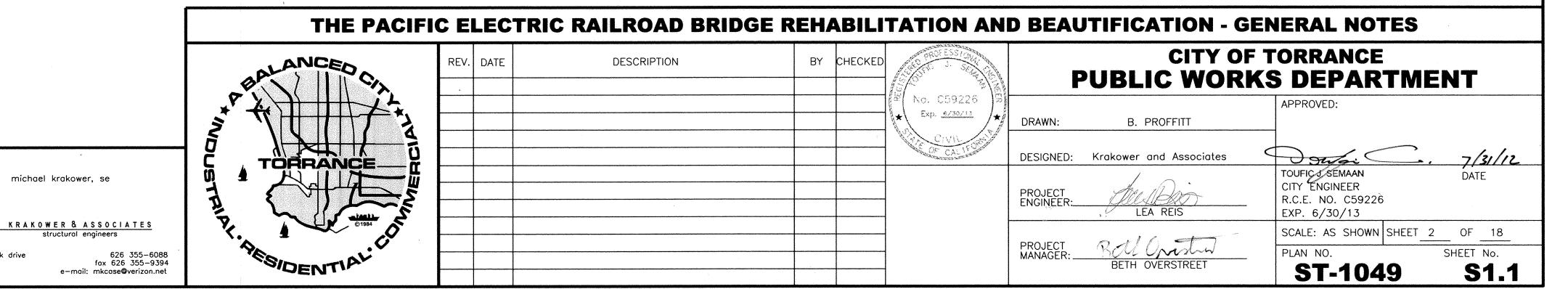
5. TERMINATE REINFORCING STEEL WITH STANDARD 90 OR 180 DEGREE HOOKS UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. BARS MARKED CONTINUOUS MAY BE PLACED IN CONVENIENT LENGTHS AND LAPPED 30 BAR DIAMETERS.

#### POST INSTALLED ANCHORS IN CONCRETE

1. EPOXY RESIN ANCHOR SYSTEMS SHALL BE A TWO COMPONENT HIGH SOLIDS EPOXY SYSTEM BY SIMPSON SET, HILTI OR EQUAL WITH A CURRENTLY APPROVED ICC-ESR-ES REPORT.

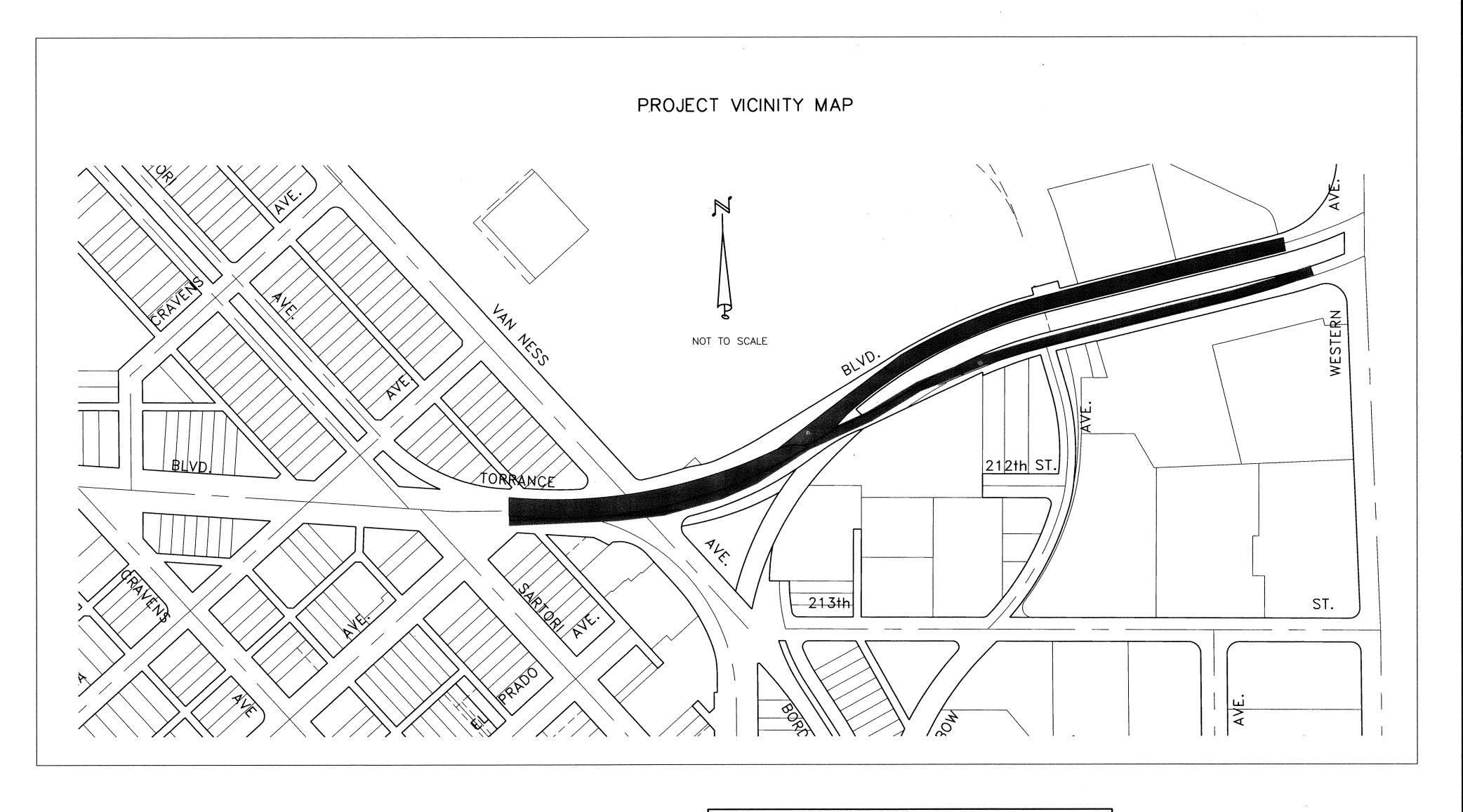
2. INSTALL THE EPOXY RESIN ANCHORS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

3. POST INSTALLED ANCHORS SHALL BE INSTALLED BY ROTARY NON-IMPACT TYPE TOOLS ONLY.



## TRAFFIC CONTROL GENERAL NOTES

- 1. ALL TRAFFIC CONTROL WORK FOR CONSTRUCTION SHALL CONFORM TO PART 6, "TEMPORARY TRAFFIC CONTROL," OF THE LATEST EDITION OF THE CALIFORNIA MUTCD. SIGNS SHALL BE STANDARD UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
- 2. EXACT LOCATION OF ALL TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES SHALL BE AS DIRECTED BY ENGINEER BASED ON CONSTRUCTION CONDITIONS. ADDITIONAL WARNING OR CONSTRUCTION SIGNS MAY BE REQUIRED BY THE ENGINEER.
- 3. ALL NIGHT TIME WORK SHALL BE APPROVED IN ADVANCE BY THE ENGINEER.
- 4. STREET CLOSURES SHALL BE APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER WHENEVER APPLICABLE. RESIDENTS/BUSINESSES SHALL BE NOTIFIED ONE WEEK PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.
- 5. PRESSURE SENSITIVE DETOUR GRADE TRAFFIC MARKING TAPE AND/OR TEMPORARY FLEXIBLE RAISED PAVEMENT MARKERS MAY BE REQUIRED TO SUPPLEMENT THE CHANNELIZING DEVICES, DRUMŚ, REFLECTORIZED SIGNS, PAINT, AND BARRICADES AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
- 6. ALL ADVANCE WARNING SIGN INSTALLATIONS SHALL BE EQUIPPED WITH FLAGS FOR DAYTIME CLOSURES.
- 7. ALL SIGNS SHALL BE REFLECTORIZED AND STANDARD SIZE, UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE. ALL W20-1, W20-5, AND W4-2 SIGNS SHALL BE MINIMUM 36" x 36".
- 8. ALL DRUMS SHALL BE 36" MINIMUM HEIGHT, PORTABLE, WITH REFLECTORIZED 4"-6" WHITE AND ORANGE STRIPES, WITH WEIGHTED BASES OR BALLAST RINGS. DRUMS SHALL BE MADE OF A FLEXIBLE MATERIAL, 18"-36" IN DIAMETER AND SHALL BE KEPT IN THEIR PROPER POSITION AT ALL TIMES, AND SHALL BE REPAIRED, REPLACED OR CLEANED AS NECESSARY TO PRESERVE THEIR APPEARANCE AND CONTINUITY. DRUMS FOR NIGHT TIME USE SHALL BE PROVIDED WITH FLASHING WARNING LIGHTS.
- 9. TYPE II BARRICADES MAY BE USED IN ADDITION TO THE DRUMS, AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CONTRACTOR, WHEN THEY ARE INTENDED TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL EMPHASIS IN AREAS WHERE WORKERS ARE PRESENT
- 10. USE AND PLACEMENT OF FLASHING ARROW BOARD(S) AND CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN(S) SHALL BE AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
- 11. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAINTAIN, ON A 24-HOUR BASIS, ALL SIGNS, DRUMS, BARRICADES, ETC., TO ENSURE PROPER FLOW AND SAFETY OF TRAFFIC.
- 12. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL UTILIZE FLAGGERS DURING WORK HOURS AS DEEMED NECESSARY BY THE ENGINEER.
- 13. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL HAVE ALL SIGNS, DRUMS, BARRICADES, ETC., PROPERLY INSTALLED PRIOR TO COMMENCING CONSTRUCTION AND BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO SWITCH TO A SUBSEQUENT STAGE DURING WORK HOURS.
- 14. CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS SHALL BE CONDUCTED IN SUCH A MANNER AS TO CAUSE AS LITTLE INCONVENIENCE AS POSSIBLE TO ABUTTING BUSINESSES AND PROPERTY OWNERS.
- 15. CONSTRUCTION TRUCK TRAFFIC MERGING INTO TRAFFIC LANES SHALL BE DONE BY USE OF FLAGGER AND APPROPRIATE SIGNAGE AS DIRECTED BY ENGINEER.
- 16. FLASHING ARROW SIGNS (F.A.S.) AND PORTABLE CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGNS (P.C.M.S.) SHALL CONFORM TO THE SPECIAL PROVISIONS AND BE EITHER SOLAR OR BATTERY OPERATED. GASOLINE AND DIESEL POWERED F.A.S. AND P.C.M.S. ARE PROHIBITED.
- 17. ALL STRIPING AND PAVEMENT MARKINGS SHALL BE THERMOPLASTIC AND REFLECTORIZED PER CALTRANS SPECIFICATIONS UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
- 18. NO TWO CONSECUTIVE CROSS STREETS SHALL BE SIMULTANEOUSLY CLOSED FOR CONSTRUCTION.
- 19. ALL WORK IN EACH PHASE SHALL BE COMPLETE BEFORE WORK IN ANOTHER PHASE MAY BEGIN.
- 20. TRAFFIC SIGNALS (EXISTING, NEW OR TEMPORARY) SHALL BE IN OPERATION AT ALL TIMES AT SIGNALIZED INTERSECTIONS.
- 21. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE A MINIMUM OF FOUR PORTABLE CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGNS (PCMS). USE, PLACEMENT AND FLASHING MESSAGE TEXT SHALL BE AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. PAYMENT IS INCLUDED IN THE UNIT PRICE FOR "PORTABLE CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGNS".
- 22. TEMPORARY "NO PARKING TOW AWAY" SIGNS SHALL BE POSTED WITHIN AFFECTED CONSTRUCTION AREAS A MINIMUM OF 48 HOURS PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.



#### NOTES:

ROAD CLOSURES ON TORRANCE BLVD. ARE ONLY ALLOWED BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 AM TO 6:00 PM ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY. NO WEEKDAY ROAD CLOSURES WILL BE PERMITTED FOR THE WORK:

CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT THE TORRANCE TRAFFIC AND LIGHTING SUPERVISOR, RICHARD HALL, AT (310) 781-6900 (OFFICE) TO INQUIRE ON AND COORDINATE ANY MODIFICATIONS TO THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL TIMINGS ON TORRANCE BLVD.

## LEGEND

- ++ TYPE II BARRICADE WITH SIGN AS NOTED ON PLAN.
- TYPE III BARRICADE WITH SIGN AS NOTED ON PLAN.
- △ SIGN (AS NOTED ON PLAN)
- REFLECTORIZED DRUM

□ DIRECTION OF TRAVEL

- 39" DELINEATOR OR 28" CONE WITH REFLECTIVE BAND
- FLASHING ARROW BOARD (FAS) SIGN
- ≺ FLAGTREE AND SIGN
- ANGLE POINT
- CONSTRUCTION LANE DIMENSION

EXISTING LANE DIMENSIONS

WORK AREA

CMS CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN

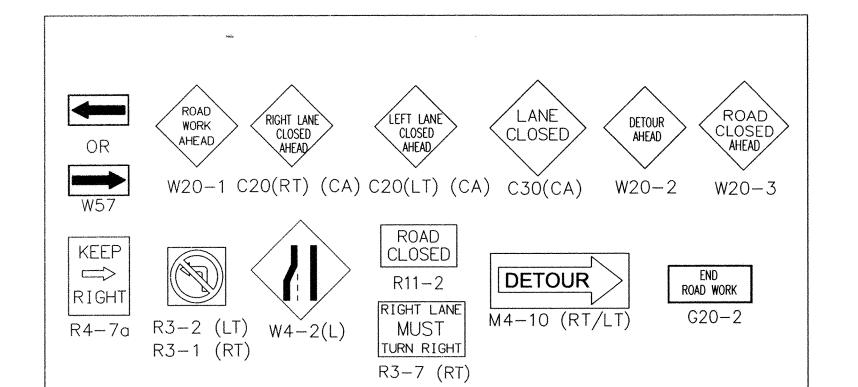
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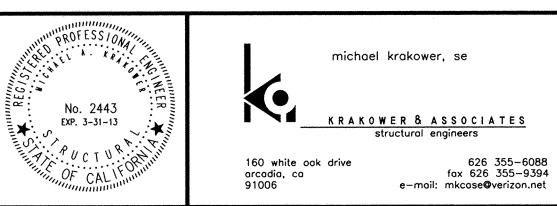
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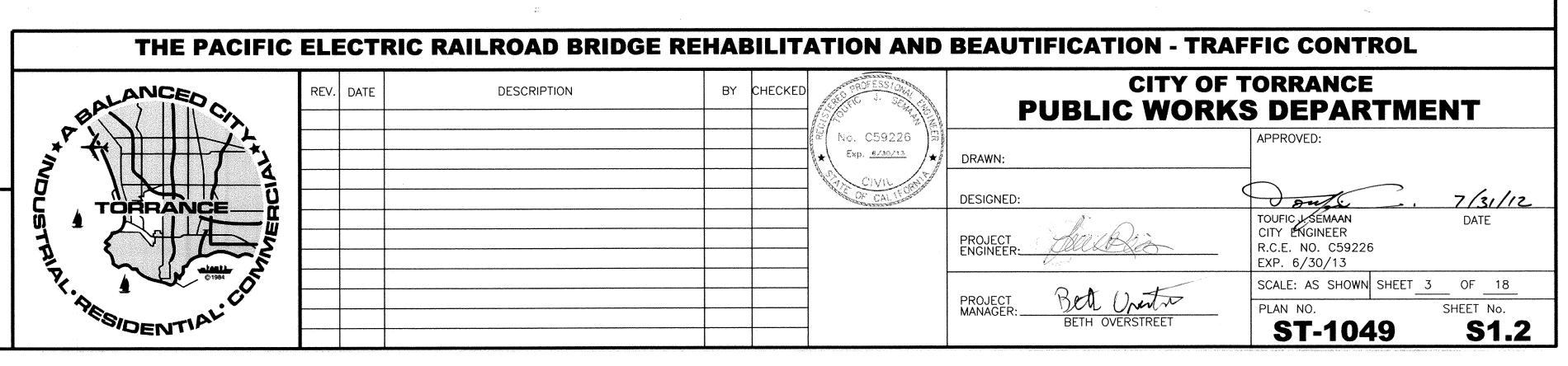
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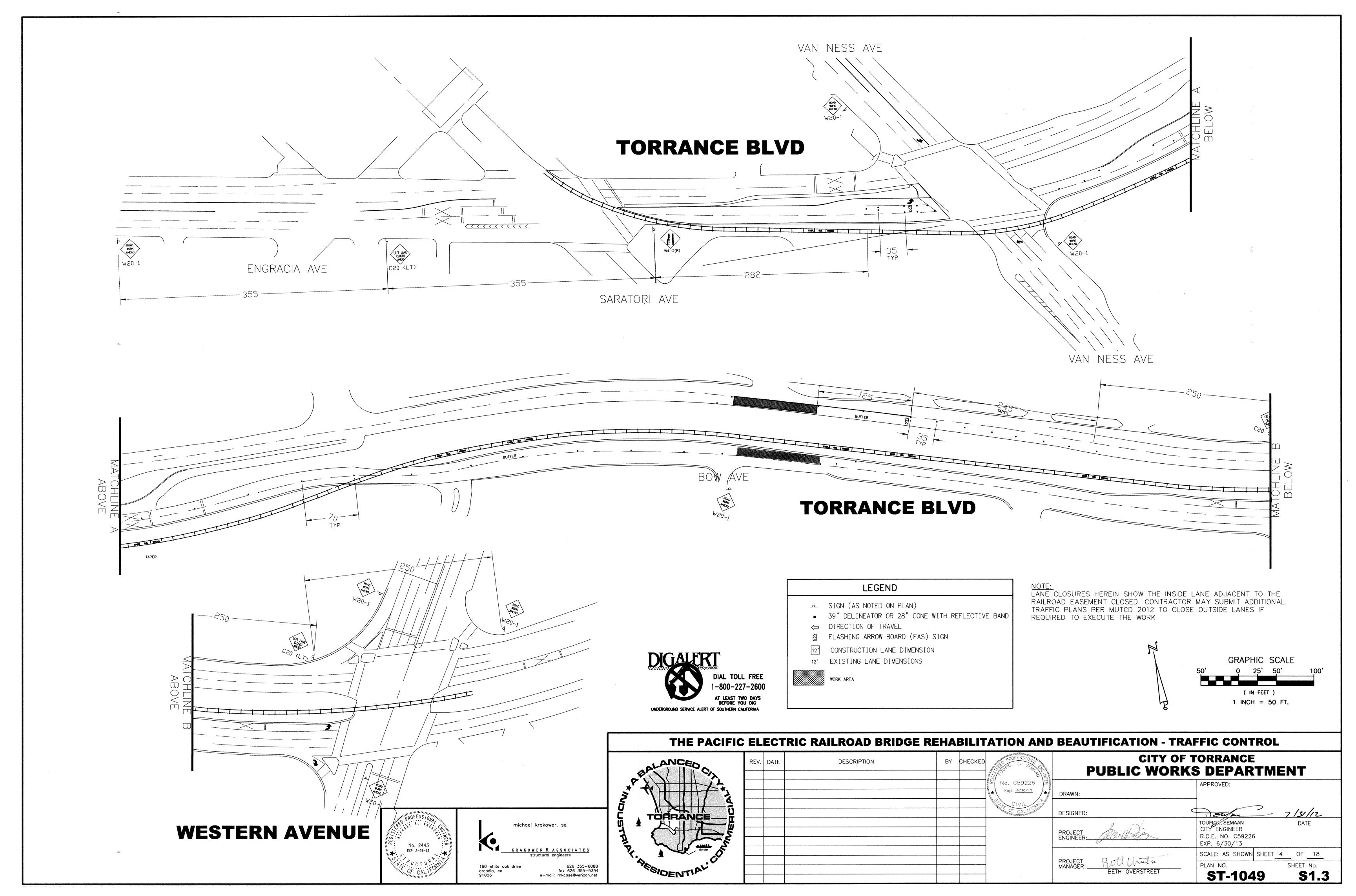
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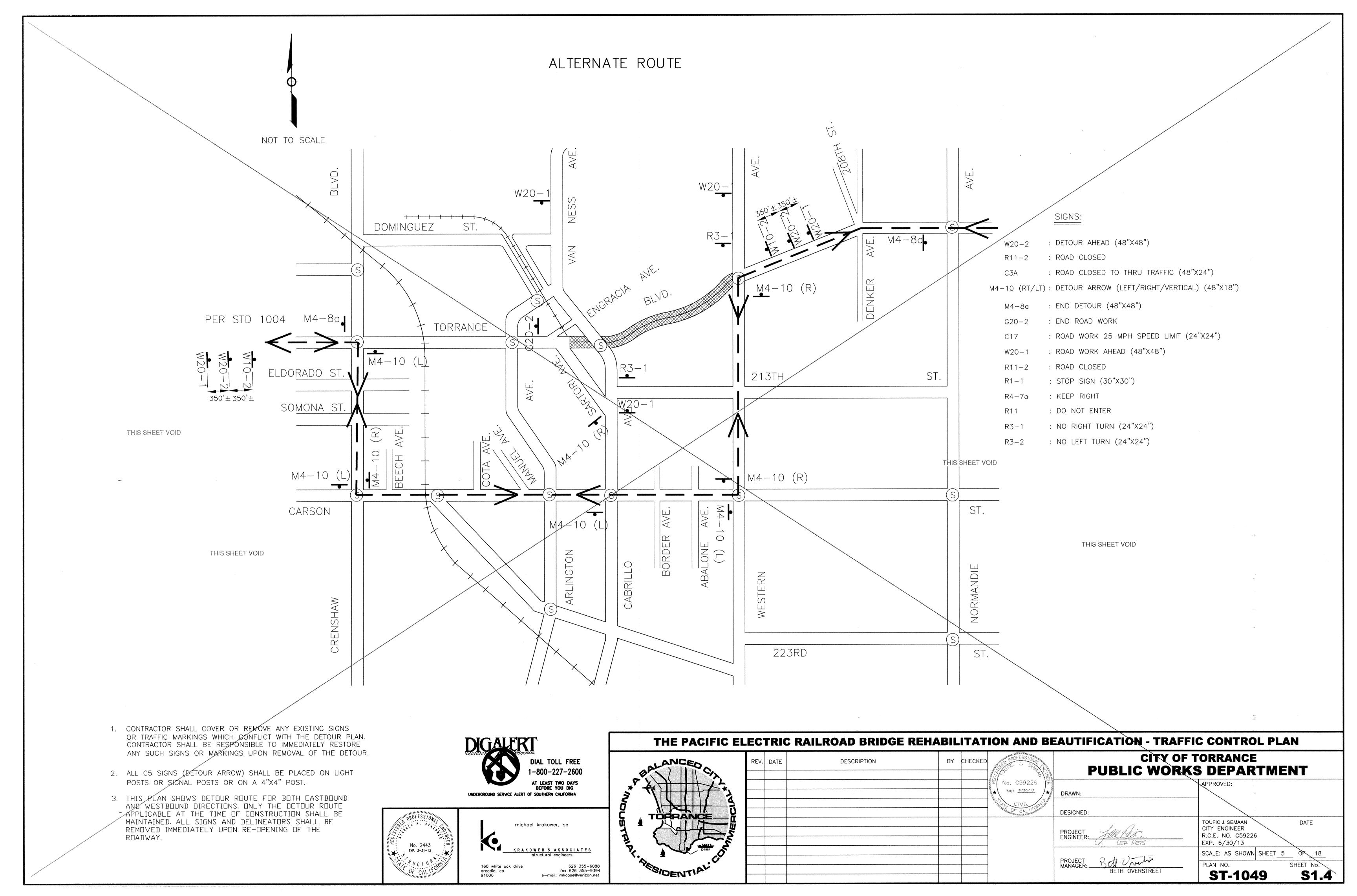


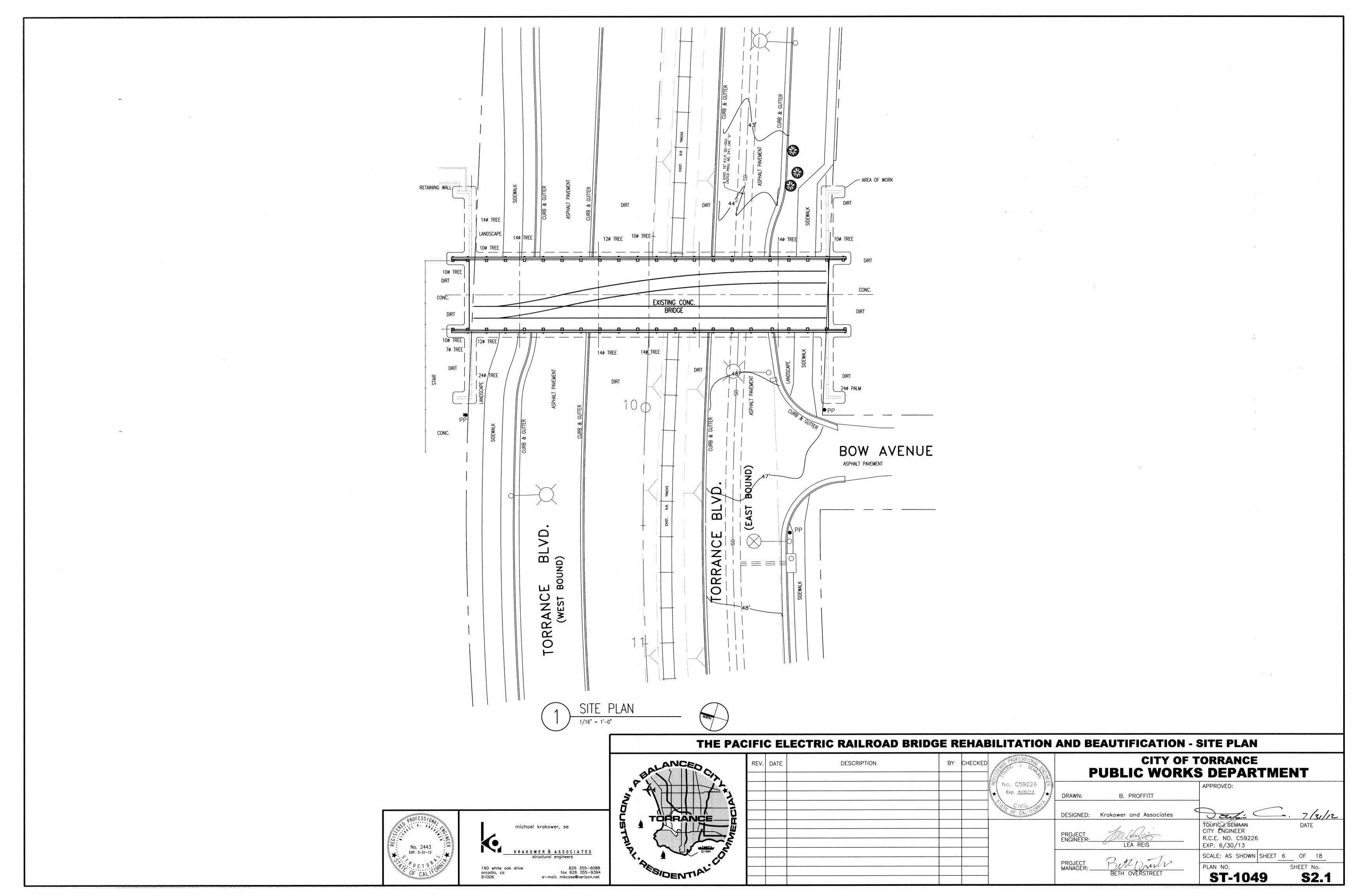


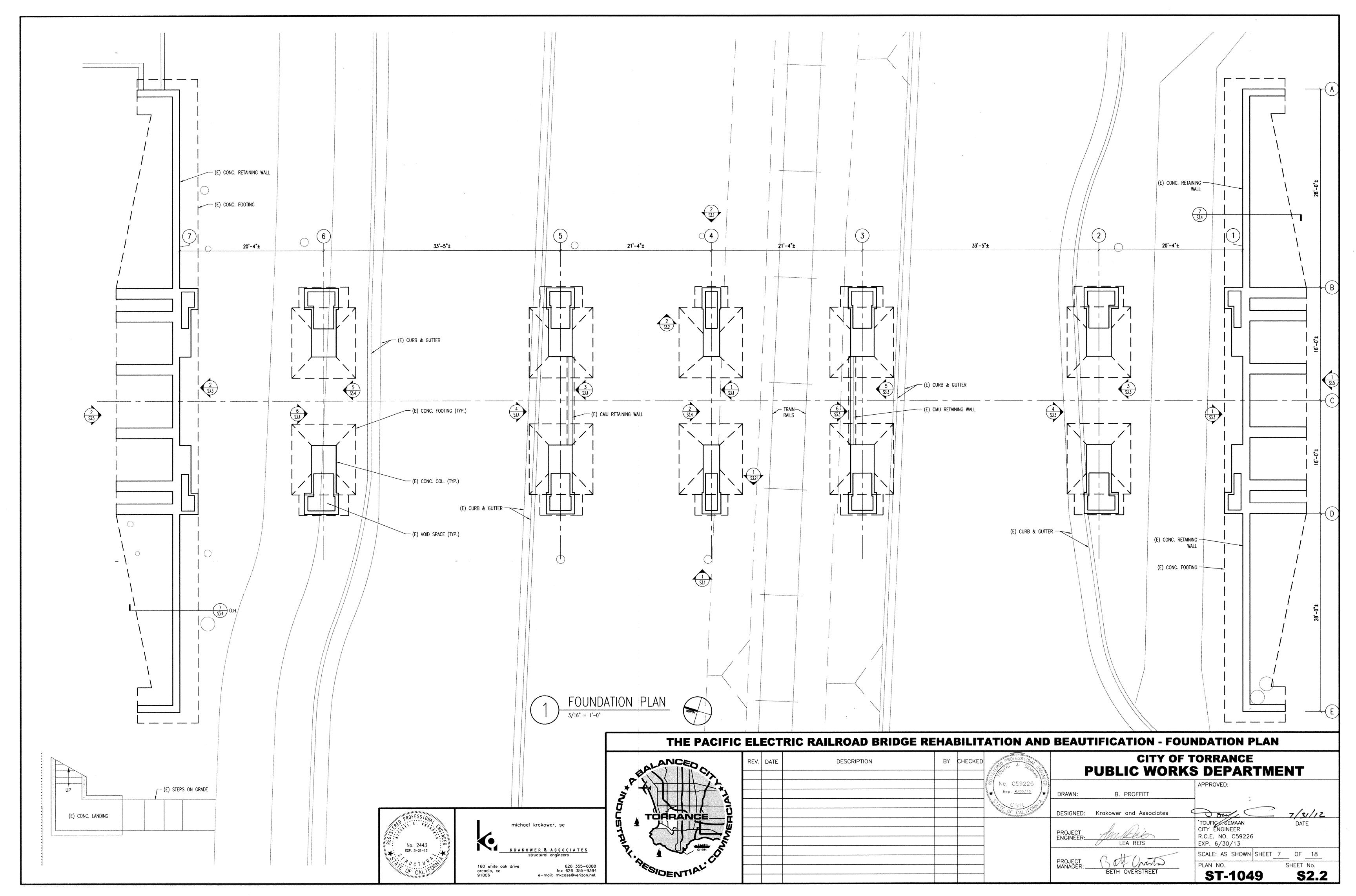


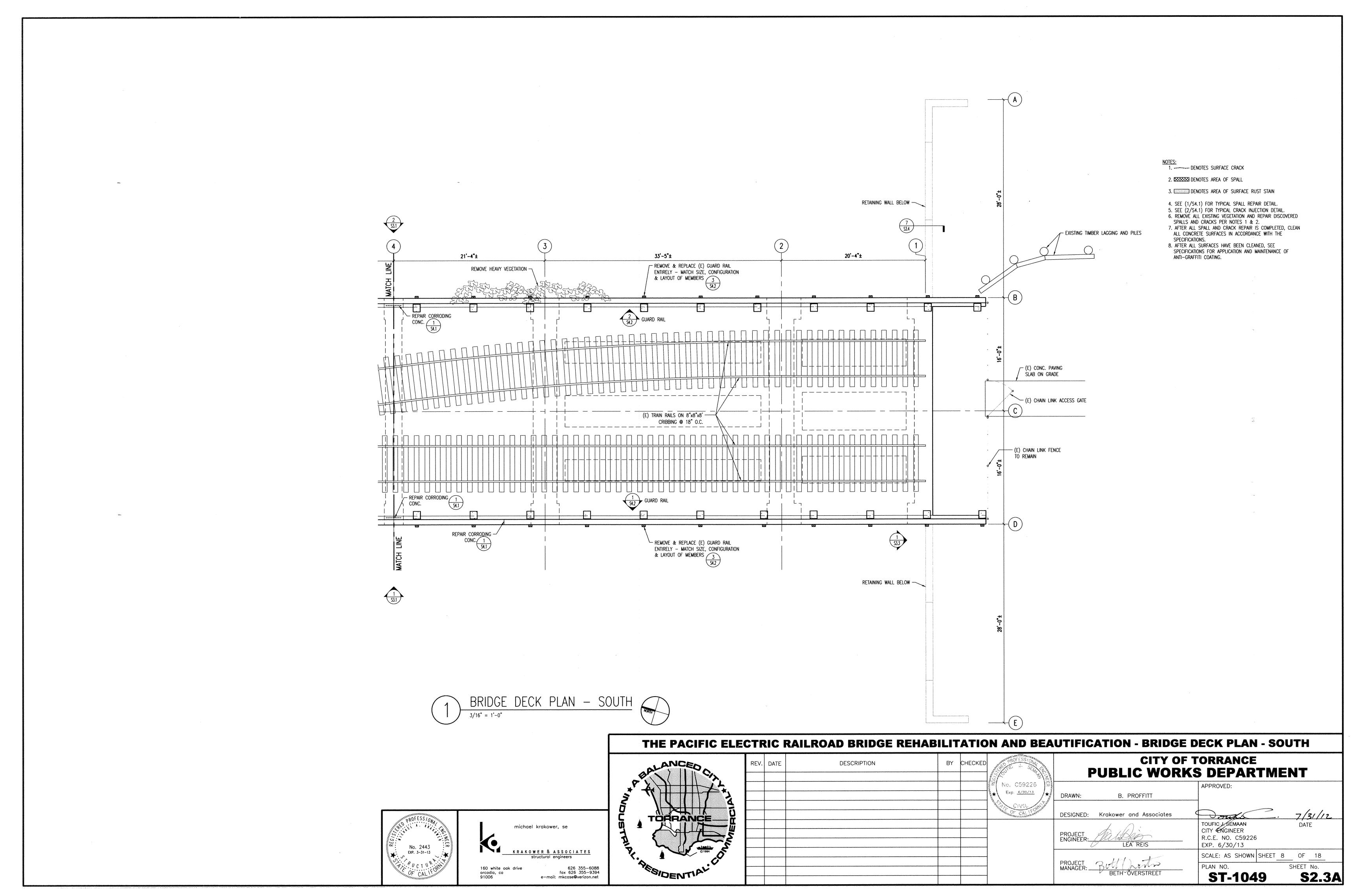


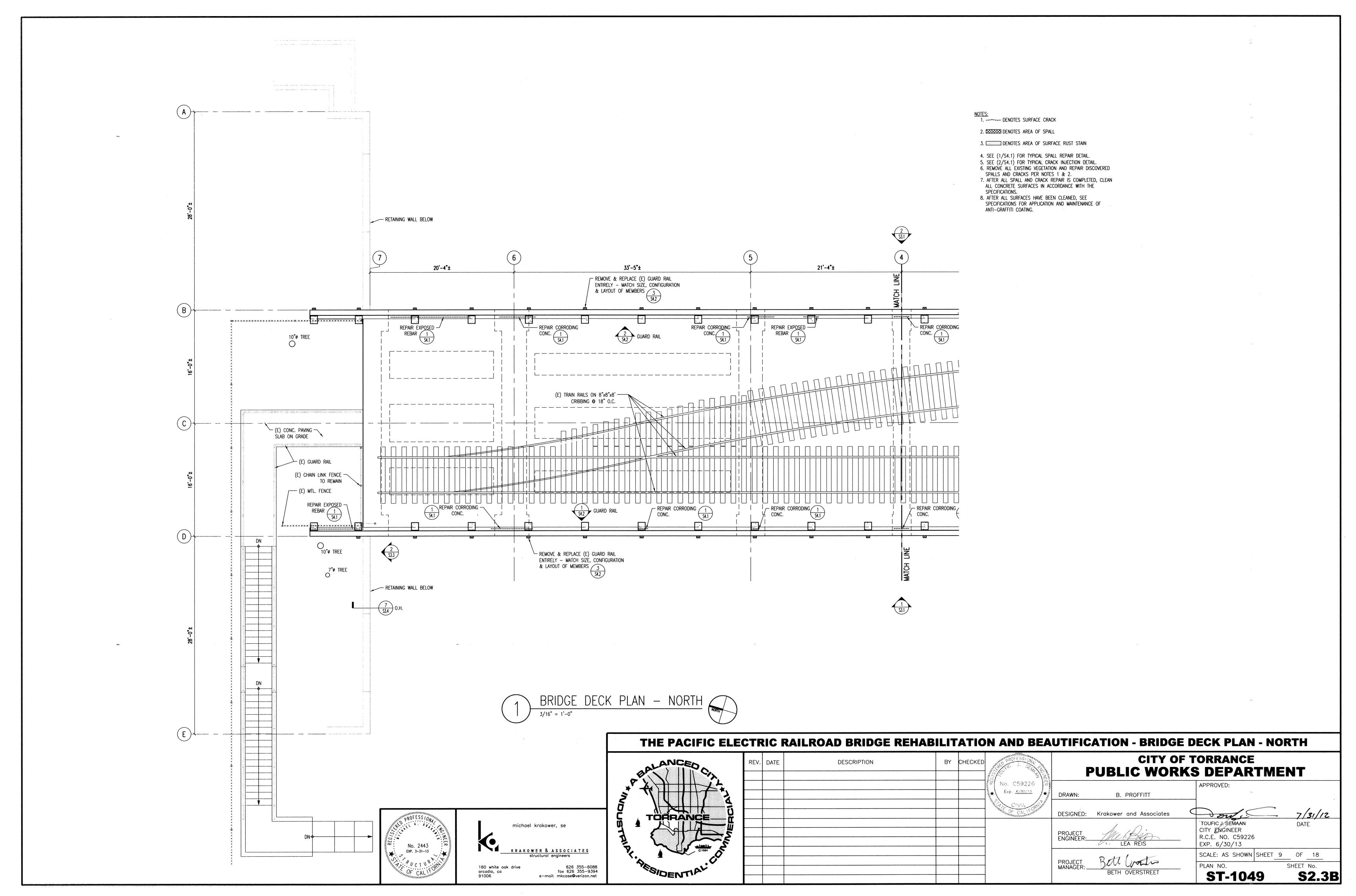


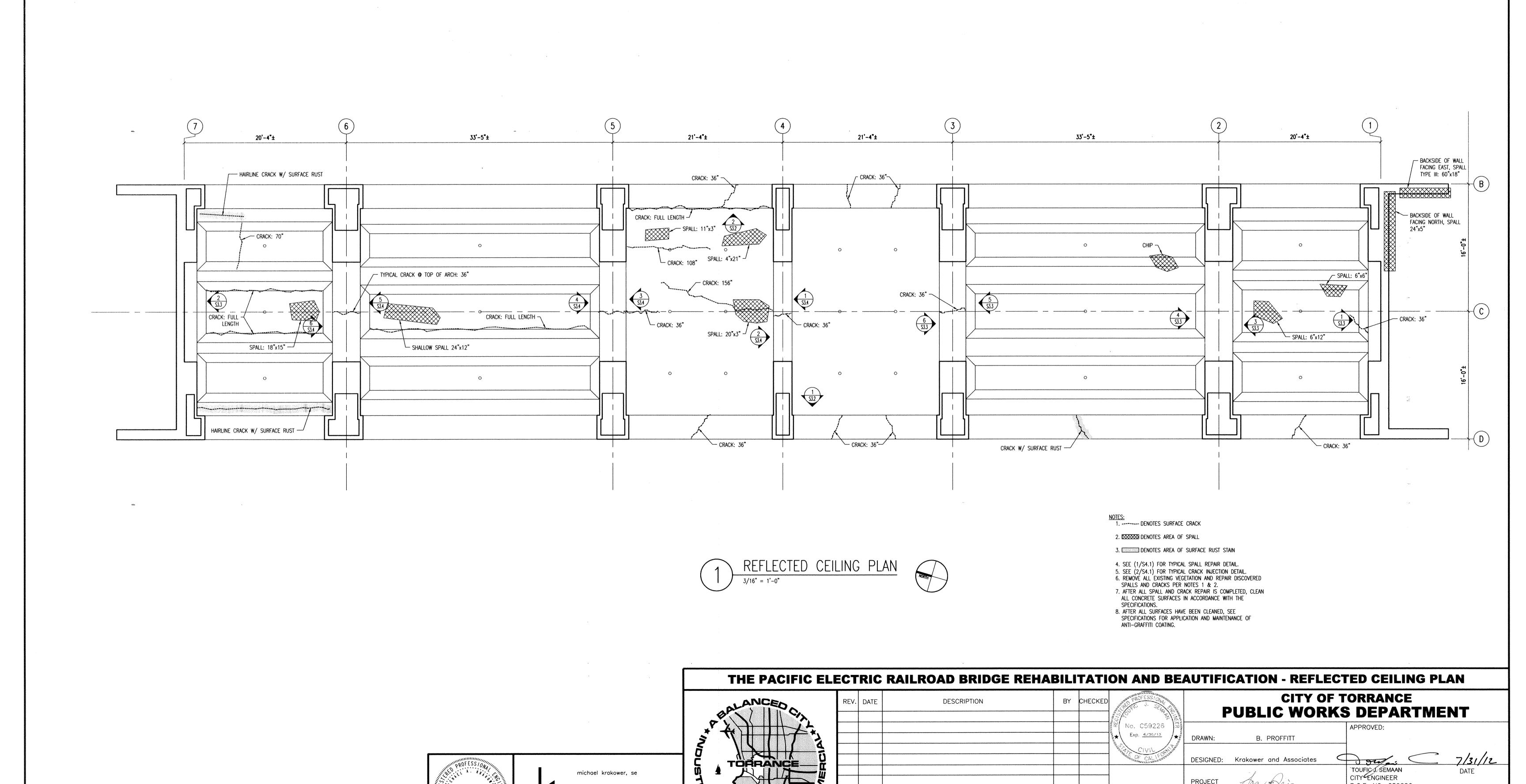












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